We make every effort to ensure that entry requirements are up-to-date in our printed literature. However, because brochures are produced well in advance, our entry requirements and offers may be subject to change.

For up-to-date details regarding entry requirements and programme specifics, please see our Arab and Islamic Studies pages at [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic). We strongly advise that you check this before attending an Open Day or making your application. Some programmes require prior study of specific subjects and may also have minimum grade requirements at GCSE or equivalent, particularly in English Language and/or Mathematics.

### Applying to study Combined Honours with Modern Languages

When applying to Sociology Combined Honours degrees with Modern Languages you will need to indicate under 'further details' in the 'choices' section of the application the language you wish to study using the codes in the entry data table. Please note you may choose only one language. For further information on completing your UCAS form, please visit [www.ucas.com](http://www.ucas.com).

For details of language requirements for entry onto Combined Honours with Modern Languages programmes please visit our website: [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/languages](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/languages).

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**International students**

The University recognises a wide range of international qualifications as well as A levels and the International Baccalaureate. You can find further information about academic and English language entry requirements at [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/international](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/international).

### Applying

For further details on all our entry requirements, please see our Arab and Islamic Studies pages at [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic).

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*for details about Study Abroad please see [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic)*
Our undergraduate programmes in Arabic and Islamic Studies and Middle East Studies are taught at the University's Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies, one of Europe’s most renowned centres for research and teaching on the Arab and Muslim world.

We offer Arabic and Middle East languages as well as modules in the literature, culture, history, politics, economy, society and anthropology of the Middle East and North Africa. We also cover almost every aspect of Islamic studies, from medieval to modern Islam. A number of dedicated research centres and links with other subject areas will provide you with an opportunity to branch out into other disciplines and areas of study, as well as reinforcing the teaching you receive through cutting-edge research and engagement with current issues.

The Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies has an outstanding international reputation, especially for our focus on the Gulf, the Arabian Peninsula and Islamic studies, and a high national ranking for academic excellence. The Institute’s atmosphere is cosmopolitan and international with staff and students from a wide range of cultural, religious and linguistic backgrounds contributing to a lively, friendly community.

Our impressive building is the largest purpose-built Middle East centre in the UK, and is constructed in an architectural style evocative of the region. It is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities, including a new high-spec, computerised language lab, lecture theatres, seminar rooms, lounge, satellite TV for viewing Middle Eastern channels and a gallery for Middle Eastern art exhibitions. Additionally, the Arab World Documentation Unit, based in the Research Commons, is a valuable research resource, housing numerous collections of academic textbooks, press cuttings, government papers and reports, periodicals, pamphlets, business yearbooks, and much more, with material in English, Arabic and Hebrew.

Arabic is one of the six official languages of the United Nations, and there is an ever-growing need for Arabic speakers in governmental, political, diplomatic and business circles. As well as Arabic, within the Institute you will have the opportunity to learn Persian, Turkish and Indonesian languages. You’ll graduate from Exeter with an intimate understanding of Arab and Islamic cultures and politics which will provide you with excellent career opportunities in international, regional and domestic organisations across the private, public and third sectors.

3rd in The Complete University Guide 2017
2nd in the UK for world-leading research\(^1\)
Sharjah Scholarships of up to £1,500 a year available to MArabic students
Work placements overseas to support your career development

\(^1\) Research Excellence Framework 2014 based on the percentage of research categorised as 4*. Arab and Islamic Studies is returned to the Area Studies Unit of Assessment.
We offer a range of Single and Combined Honours degree programmes that cover a wide variety of subjects, and many include a year’s study (or more) in the Arab world. Our programmes combine elements of our three overlapping areas of study: Middle East Social Sciences; Islamic Studies; and Middle East Humanities. Within these areas we offer a range of modules, including history, politics, economics, language, literature and social anthropology. All our modules relate directly to the research interests of our academic staff so you’ll be taught by experts who’ll keep you up-to-date with the latest knowledge and contemporary issues. For details of our staff research interests, please follow the links to Research on the Institute staff pages of our website at www.exeter.ac.uk/iais.

How your degree is structured

For all programmes, the first year is spent full-time in Exeter. Language students on four-year programmes, including those studying Combined Honours, then spend their second year in an Arab country, putting you significantly ahead in your language skills early on in your degree, and ahead of those studying language degrees who spend their third or final year abroad.

The degrees are divided into modules, some core and some optional, which give you the flexibility to structure your degree according to your specific areas of interest. Individual modules are usually worth 15 or 30 credits each (with the exception of Arabic language modules and a 60 credit advanced dissertation in the final year of the MArabic). Full-time undergraduates take 120 credits in each year (although this varies slightly within the intensively taught MArabic). Within the programmes at the Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies, in addition to the core modules, you can choose from an extensive range of options, a few examples of which are shown at the back of this brochure.

For up-to-date details of all our programmes and modules, please check www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic.
Undergraduate Masters

**MArabic**

*Master of Arabic and Islamic Studies*

This programme has been designed for students with no previous knowledge of Arabic. Students with proficiency in Arabic seeking a more rigorous programme of study will be better suited to our BA Middle East Studies. The MArabic is a four-year programme, including two periods of study and work in an Arab country.

This highly-selective programme offers the opportunity to graduate with an undergraduate Masters-level qualification and to obtain experience of living and working in the Arab world – with not one but two opportunities to study and work in the Middle East in Year 2 and again in Year 4. You will achieve high levels of proficiency in Arabic and gain a thorough understanding of the politics, society and culture of the Middle East.

**Year 1**
Your first year involves an immersive introduction to the study of Arabic. This will include dialect training to prepare you for living and working overseas. You will also have the opportunity to take modules in Islam and the history, society, politics and economics of the region.

**Year 2**
Your second year will enable you to experience what it is like to live and work in the Arab World. You will enhance your language training at a prestigious overseas institution and undertake a work placement. Destinations are carefully chosen by the Institute and we remain in contact with you throughout your time abroad. Financial, academic and pastoral support will be available to enable you to make the most of your time in the Middle East.

**Year 3**
You’ll receive enhanced language training and choose from modules on topics such as the effects of the Arab Spring, international relations of the Middle East, and love, sexuality and spirituality in Islam.

**Year 4**
The first term will be primarily spent in the Middle East, enabling you to explore a particular career-path through bespoke work experience and specialist language training. On return to Exeter, you will complete your dissertation and choose from a number of Masters modules, providing advanced study in specialties of particular interest to you.

**Single Honours**

**BA Middle East Studies**

This programme will provide you with a high level of social scientific understanding of the Middle East. No language study is required. Compulsory and optional modules cover Middle Eastern ethnography, economy and economic development, gender and identity, politics, culture and arts, and religion and society.

**Year 1**
Compulsory modules examine the history, politics, society and economics of the Middle East, as well as the basic principles of Islam. You will also choose from a list of optional modules.

**Year 2**
You will continue your study of the history, politics, society and economics of the Middle East, as well as the philosophy, theology, practices, traditions, poetry and law of Islam.

**Year 3**
You will continue at an advanced level, studying the history, politics, society and economics of the Middle East, as well as the philosophy, theology, practices, traditions, poetry and law of Islam. You will also write your dissertation of 10,000 words on a topic of personal interest.

**Combined Honours**

We offer four-year Combined Honours programmes, which include a study year in an Arab country. The Arabic language component in these programmes is taught at a prestigious language centre in the Middle East, but does not include a compulsory work placement component.

**Arabic and Modern Languages**

*(French, German, Italian, Russian, and Spanish)*

This degree allows you to combine the study of the language, history and culture of the Arabic world with one of a number of modern languages. It is a four-year programme, with the second year spent in an Arabic-speaking country. The Arabic component is language-based and will provide you with a thorough understanding of the culture and literature of the Arab World. Compulsory language modules are followed over the three years of the degree, and there are also compulsory modules on Arab literature and on Islam and Arab history.

Combining Arabic and another modern language will enable you to develop strong skills in spoken and written language and analytical thought, along with a deeper understanding of the language, literature and culture of both societies. You will receive an excellent research-inspired education in a supportive, responsive environment from expert academics who are passionate about their subjects. By the end of your degree, you will have acquired a diverse and valuable set of skills employers seek across a wide range of professions.

Full details can be found at [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic)

**Flexible Combined Honours**

Our innovative Combined Honours scheme enables you to study modules from a number of different subjects not otherwise available through an existing Combined Honours programme. Throughout your degree you will be given regular support to help you choose the most appropriate pathway.

Further information and the full list of available subjects can be found at [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/flexible](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/flexible)
LEARNING AND TEACHING

The nature of university learning, especially in the social sciences, involves significant self-directed study and research. As well as traditional lectures, seminars, and tutorials, led by internationally respected academics at the forefront of research, you’ll be encouraged to take the initiative by organising study groups, taking advantage of online and traditional learning resources, and managing your own workload and time.

We integrate the latest approaches along with lectures to give you a varied and challenging programme. In core modules, you will learn through analysis, discussion and debate, practical work, problem-solving, research projects and teamwork, all of which are designed to help you develop key skills for success in your degree, and future career.

Our teaching methods also make full use of seminars, study groups and web-based learning. Language modules take place in small interactive classes of about 15-20 students, using the language laboratory, satellite TV, the internet and computer-assisted language learning.

Contact time
You will receive on average 12-15 contact hours per week with tutors (teaching time) in language-based programmes. You are also expected to invest significant time in independent study outside of these contact hours; this involves individual study, contact with your study-group (for example, in preparation for seminars) and contact with your personal tutor. The exact amount of time spent working independently varies from module to module, but you should expect your total workload to average 40 hours per week during term time.

A flexible system of module choice allows you to tailor your programme to your particular interests as you progress. We’ll teach you to work independently; to research, analyse and synthesise new and unfamiliar material; and to communicate clearly using both the written and spoken word. In seminar presentations you’ll acquire the skill of confidently delivering coherent and precise arguments to an audience, as well as learning how to receive comments and criticism and develop the ability to lead in a team/group situation.

Online and virtual learning
We are actively engaged in introducing new methods of learning and teaching, including increasing use of interactive computer-based approaches to learning through our virtual learning environment, where the details of all modules are stored and easily navigable. You can access detailed information about modules and learning outcomes and interact through activities such as discussion forums.

Research-inspired teaching
The University of Exeter is a research-intensive institution. This means that our academic staff do not just teach, but also conduct high quality, ground-breaking research in their specialist subject areas. Staff teach options which are linked to their own interests, including the history, politics, sociology and culture of the Middle East and North Africa, Islamic studies, language and literature.

The nature of Middle Eastern and North African politics and society means that our teaching is particularly dynamic and topical, as academics seek to react to current events as they arise. This has seen lectures and seminars address contemporary topics related to changes in foreign policies and global political relations. Many of our lecturers have worked as political advisers on the region, influencing policy on military interventions, state-building initiatives, resource management and much more besides.

The Institute’s research, and therefore its teaching, is clustered around a number of high profile research centres. These research centres are integral to the academic character of the Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies and support its interdisciplinary focus:

- Centre for Gulf Studies
- Centre for Kurdish Studies
- European Centre for Palestine Studies
- Centre for Persian and Iranian Studies
- Centre for the Study of Islam

The Centre for Gulf Studies has the largest concentration of Gulf Studies experts in the world, with a focus encompassing the Arabian Peninsula, Iraq and Iran.

Exeter is the only British university with a strong research focus in the field of Kurdish Studies, and the Centre for Kurdish Studies is the leading UK centre of research in the field and a global centre of excellence. The European Centre for Palestine Studies functions as a hub for intellectual engagement with the Palestine question, facilitating scholarly research and helping to refine public discussion. Its advisory board includes Archbishop Desmond Tutu and Noam Chomsky. The Centre for the Study of Islam brings together one of the largest and most diverse concentrations of expertise in Islamic studies in the UK and serves as an international research hub for all aspects of the field. The Centre for Persian and Iranian Studies is recognised internationally for leading research into the Sufi poet Rumi, the contemporary history of Iran, and of Iran in the 18th century, and teaches Persian language to students.

Academic support
All students have a personal tutor who is available for advice and support throughout their studies. There are also a number of services on campus where you can get advice and information, including the Students’ Guild Advice Unit. You can find further information about all the services in the University’s undergraduate prospectus or online at www.exeter.ac.uk/undergraduate

Study Abroad
All undergraduate Arabic language students on a four-year programme spend their second year a prestigious Arabic language study centre.

The year abroad is an integral part of the study of Arabic, advancing your knowledge of grammar and syntax as well as reading, writing, speaking and listening skills. It provides an excellent opportunity for students of Arabic to become immersed in Arabic society and culture, and to gain fluency in a spoken dialect of the Arabic language. Students taking the MArabic will also undertake a work placement while overseas. They will have an additional opportunity to study and work abroad in their final (fourth) year.
Year abroad destinations can obviously vary from year-to-year, dependent on current events in the Middle East and North Africa. Recent destinations have included:

- Jordan Language Academy (JLA) and Qasid Arabic Institute, Amman, Jordan
- International Language Institute (ILI), Cairo, Egypt
- Arabic Language Institute (ALIF), Fez, Morocco

During your year abroad you will follow a course of study at your host institution, focusing on Standard Arabic, Media Arabic and the Colloquial Arabic. Typically there is a great deal of opportunity for travel and many institutions organise study trips for you. The ILI in Cairo, for example, organises trips to the Oases and to the Red Sea, and the institutions in Amman organise trips to Petra and the Dead Sea.

Many students take the opportunity to travel further within the region, often visiting Lebanon and Turkey, and some are reluctant to come back to Exeter when the year is over! On returning, you’ll be encouraged to enter any photographs you’ve taken during your time away in the Year Abroad Photography Competition.

Information about the study abroad year can be found at www.exeter.ac.uk/international/studyabroad/outbound

Scholarships, bursaries and prizes

Students at the Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies are lucky enough to benefit from a number of sponsored scholarships and prizes related directly to the research and relationships cultivated by the Institute. Students on the MArabic have the opportunity to apply for competitive scholarships of up to £1,500 per annum from the Sharjah Scholarship fund.

There are also a number of prizes presented to students for a variety of achievements, including best poetry recitation, best final year dissertation and best essay in history or politics.

For more information about available scholarships, bursaries and prizes, please visit our website at www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic/funding

Assessment

You will be assessed by exam and coursework, including essay writing and a dissertation (in the last year of study). An informal element of continuous assessment is also in place so you can gain on-going feedback on your progress. Your first year doesn’t count towards your final degree classification, but you do have to pass it in order to progress. If you study a three-year programme, assessments in the final two years both count towards your classification, and if you study a four-year programme, then the final three years all contribute. For MArabic students, your progression to Masters study will be dependent on meeting a minimum level of academic attainment in Years 1 to 3.

For full details of the assessment criteria for each module, check the Undergraduate Modules section of our website at www.exeter.ac.uk/iais/undergraduate/modules (for the final year of the MArabic check the Postgraduate Modules section).
A degree in Arab and Islamic Studies gives you an appreciation and understanding of the culture, history and language of the Middle East and North Africa. You will develop analytical and research skills as well as an awareness of different interpretations of issues and events, develop opinions and use effective communication skills to put forward your ideas and conclusions. You will also develop your time and project management skills.

All these skills are valued by employers from many different fields and can open up career paths in a wide variety of areas, from academic research and government work to more commercially based careers in law and business. Work experience module options are available to enable you to discover more about different careers and explore learning through work-based activities.

Many students from the department take part in the Exeter Award and the Exeter Leaders Award. These schemes encourage you to participate in employability-related workshops, skills events, volunteering and employment which will contribute to your career decision-making skills and success in the employment market. More information on the Exeter Award can be found at [www.exeter.ac.uk/exeteraward](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/exeteraward)

Exeter has an excellent reputation with graduate recruiters and our students and graduates compete very successfully in the employment market. Many employers target the University when recruiting new graduates.

For further information about what the careers service at Exeter offers, please visit [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/careers](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/careers)
For an up-to-date list and details of all our programmes and modules please check [www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic](http://www.exeter.ac.uk/ug/arabislamic)

Please note that the availability of all modules is subject to timetabling constraints and that not all modules are available every year. The modules detailed below are just examples of those offered recently.

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*MArabic students take two core content modules from the range available and also the Intermediate Arabic Language and Independent Research modules

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<td><strong>Histories of the Middle East, 600-1800 CE</strong></td>
<td>Few other regions of the world have provoked more interest and controversy than the Middle East. This module introduces the historical, political, economic and strategic factors that have shaped the region.</td>
<td><strong>War, Violence and Revolution in the Middle East, 1800-2013</strong></td>
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<td>This module introduces the basic sources and historical contexts for the origins of Islam (Qur’an, Sira, Hadith) and some of the basic spiritual principles expressed in those sources as well as the contexts and practices that exemplify the spiritual principles.</td>
<td><strong>Identities in the Modern Middle East</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Introduction to Persian History and Culture</strong></td>
<td>The study of Iranian civilisation and culture is the most neglected aspect of Islamic Studies today. This module introduces you to one of the world’s greatest empires, its classical Islamic civilisation, its contemporary body-politic and its vibrant national culture.</td>
<td><strong>International Relations of the Middle East</strong></td>
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<td>This module provides a general introductory survey of the politics and political economy of the Middle East, including the Arab-Israeli conflict, the political dynamics of key states, the politics of Islam, the political economy of oil and major wars.</td>
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<td><strong>Living and Communicating in the Arab World</strong></td>
<td>This module will prepare you for living in the Middle East on both a linguistic and a practical level. You will practice practical linguistic scenarios reflecting situations you are likely to encounter while living in the Arab world. You will also consider the practical aspects of living in the region, from bureaucratic, social, cultural, travel, political, security, health and wellbeing perspectives.</td>
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Year 4

Advanced Arabic Language
You will spend the first term studying and working in the Middle East and continue to develop your language skills when you return to Exeter. You will become familiar with a range of text types for writing and translation including media sources, literature and religious texts.

State and Society in the Middle East
This module explores concepts, themes and cases which are crucial to an understanding of modern Middle Eastern politics. By focusing on forces such as ethnicity, religion and nationalism, it seeks to explain Middle East politics with reference to its underlying social dynamics.

The Kurds: History and Politics
The module will encourage you to critically examine the history of the Kurds and their politics, considering issues of social organisation, nationalism, political party formation, identity, political economy, regional relations and international relations.

The Revolution of 1978/79, the Islamic Republic and the Politics of Contemporary Iran
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